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Norfolk County

Virg^a

This doth certify that William Bass, son of John Bass and grandson of William Bass, is of English and Indian descent and is not a Negroe nor y^t a Mulattoe as by some lately and malitiously stated. His late Mother Sarah Ann Bass was a virtuous woman of Indian descent, a daughter of Symon Lorina and Joane Tucker lawfully begotten. S^d Joan Tucker was a sister of Robin Tucker a Christian Indian of y^e Nansemond nation.

Y^e s^d William Bass, y^e elder, was a son of Mary Bass and William Bass^{Senr}. Mary Bass was a daughter of Great Peter, King of y^e Nansemonds. These are of common knowledge.

All of the Basses of this County descend from Captⁿ Nathaniell Basse, as satisfactorally proved by the records preserved.

May y^e 17, 1797

TEST: W^M PORTLOCK



BOOK OF JOHN BASSE-NORFOLK COUNTY VIRGINIA -A.D. 1675

Nathaniell Basse and Mary Jourdan
 was married y^e 21 Day of May in y^e yeare
 of our blessed Lord and Saviour 1613.
 Humphrey Basse sonne of Nath^{ll} and
 Mary Basse his wife was borned y^e 15 day
 of y^e month of July in y^e year of Our
 Blessed Lord 1615. DYED IN 1622
 John Basse was borned y^e 7 day of viiber
 in y^e year of Our Lord 1616, y^e sonne
 of Nathaniell and Mary Basse his wife.
 William Basse sonne of Nathaniell
 and Mary Basse was borned on y^e 12th
 xxv day of Xber in y^e year of our
 blessed Lord God 1618.
 Anthony Basse sonne of Nathaniell
 Basse and Mary his wife was borned
 on y^e xiii day of March in Gods yeare
 of 1620.

Edward Basse y^e sonne of nathaniell
 Basse and Mary his wife was borned
 y^e 8th day of Maye in y^e yeare of God
 1622.

Anne Basse the daughter of Nath^{ll} and
 Mary his wife was born in y^e yr.
 of X^t 1624, y^e 9 day of Sber.
 Geneveve Basse y^e daughter of Nath-
 aniell. Basse and Mary his wife was
 borned on y^e 9 day of Sber in y^e year
 of our blessed Lord God 1624, about ten
 minutes after Anne was borned.

Blessed be God for His
 tender Mercies. Amen

Humphrey Basse sonne of Nath^{ll}
 and Mary dyed y^e 22nd day of March
 in y^e yeare of our Lord 1622.

John Basse married y^e dafter of y^e King
 of y^e Nansemond Nation, by name
 Elizabeth in Holy Baptism and in
 Holy Matrimonie y^e 14 day of August
 in y^e heare of Our Blessed Lord 1638.
 William Basse sonne of Nath^{ll} & Mary^e
 Basse was married to Sarah Batten y^e 20th
 day of September in y^e yeare of our Lord 1641 A.D.

Edward Basse sonne of Nath^{ll} & Mary
 Basse, y^t unregenerated by the Spirit of
 God, took in marriage one virtuous
 Indian maydⁿ by the Christian name
 of Mary Tucker and went to live amongst
 the Shownanocs in Carolina in 1644 A.D.
 He went to Carolina in later years in
 persute of trade and not in 1644.

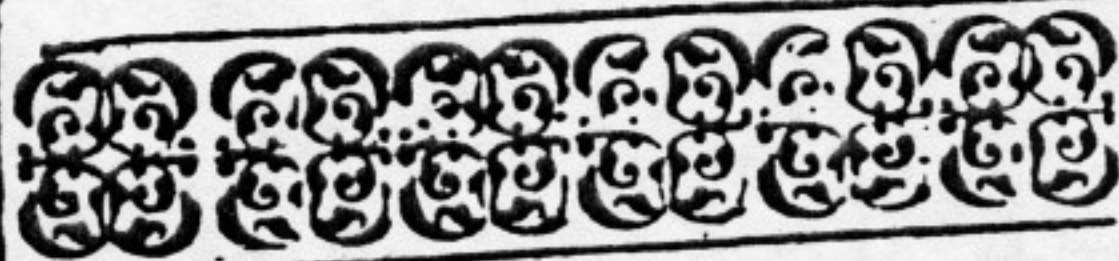
THIS THE BOOK OF JOHN BASSE--STEAL IT NOT...
 JOHN BASSE BORNED IN 1616---JOHN BASSE DYED IN 1699 A.D.



Book
of
John Basse
Hartfelt
County
Va.
1675

Thomas Jordan

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A SERMON
PREACHED AT THE
Court at Whitehall. March.
10. 1598.

John 20. 27.

After saide he to Thomas, Put thy finger
here; and see my hands, and put forth thy
hand, and put it into my side, and be not
faithlesse, but faithfull.

O Vr blessed Sauour Iesus Christ
hath his wounds yet to be scene
in his bodie for foure causes.
First, to approoue his resurrection: se-
condly, to appease his Father: thirdly, to
confound his enemies: fourthly, to
comfort his friends. After, said he to
Thomas, Put thy finger here, and see
my hands, and put forth thy hand, and
put it into my side, and be not faithlesse,
but

Richard Hooker

March the 4th 1660

Clear 5:5: 7:4

I'll be waked for sake his warr
and the unrighteous man his
and let him return unto the Lord
and he will have mercy upon him

Nathaniel Basse and Mary Jordan
were married the 21st day of May in 4th year
of our blessed Lord and Saviour 1613.

Dumphrey Basse, sonne of Nath^l and
Mary Basse his wife was born the 15th
of month of June in 4th year of our
blessed Lord 1615. Died in 1622 A.D.

John Basse was born the 7th day of vith Dec
in 4th year of our Lord God 1616. Sonne
of Nathaniel and Mary Basse his wife

William Basse, sonne of Nathaniel
and Mary Basse was born on the
xxv day of Feb in 4th year of our
blessed Lord God 1618.

Anthony Basse, sonne of Nathaniel
Basse and Mary his wife was born
on the xiii day of March in 4th year
of 1620.

Edward Bassett & Anne of Nathaniel
Bassett and Mary his wife was buried
the 8th day of June in 7th year of God
1622

Anne Bassett daughter of Nath^l and
Mary his wife was born in 4th yr.
of 1624, 4th day of Nov.

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minutes after Anne was born.

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John Bassett married a daughter of 7th King
of 4th Nanfunda Nation, by name
Elizabeth in Holy Baptism and in
Holy Matrimony the 14th day of August
in 7th year of our Blessed Lord 1638.

William Bassett sonne of Nath^l and Mary
Bassett was married to Sarah Patton the 26th
day of September in 7th year of our Lord
1641.

William B. Hooper
Traveling in the
Carolinas

and let him be a motive further to incite us
 to such diligence, that the Lord is much
 glorified in us, and we are not negligent: though
 full of sinners, as every one is, yet we are
 in the sanctuary, and we are to be in the
 human affairs, in which the Lord
 many excellent estates: much more than
 they deserve to be, though we are not
 after our own will, but by the will of
 the Lord, who works, without about us, and
 them: so that do not, as much as we may
 in the presence of God, may look to the
 more breakers from his hand, and so his
 from his mouth, that will be for his comfort.

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 was in Carolina in latter years in
 years of trade and not in 1644. He died in 1699.

John Basse died in 1699. Still it is not
 known when he died in 1699.

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